AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 17, line 11 with the following amended paragraph:

Figs. 7A-7E depict[[s]] the alignment of CFGP, GFP (Aquoria) and GFP (Renilla) at the nucleic acid level.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 21, line 30 with the following amended paragraph:

Figures 7A-7E depict[[s]] the alignment of CFGP, GFP (Aquoria) and GFP (Renilla) at the amino acid level.